you know, maybe this is...maybe this is a blessing in disguise. Maybe we don't fund this...this underground storage tank dilemma that we...that we have. By the time...by the time we get around to funding it fully again, I know how long that's going to take because we'll never have the money, there will always be something else that we can use it on. So maybe we're not...I may...I may not support Senator Chambers' amendment because I think that, my opinion only, that the longer we wait on some of these if they aren't really, really terrible, that Mother Nature will take care of it. I had a man from a petroleum company tell me about a...an air base in, I think it was in Illinois, that...that had aviation fuel that was leaking for years and years, and after a period of time...it...they closed the air base, and it biodegraded again. It took care of itself. Mother Nature took care of it. I know there are some spills in this state that directly hinder some water supplies, and that's not a good thing to do. But Senator Chambers, I've...I've been with you on the last few amendments, but I think this one I'm going to oppose that. I'm going to support the Appropriations Committee's suggestion because I believe that by the time we get around to funding it again, as hard as it was to fund it the first time, a lot of the sites will be cleaned up. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Mr. Clerk, items for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have just one item, a new resolution by Senator Engel congratulating the South Sioux City girls' high school basketball team. That will be laid over. (LR 317, Legislative Journal page 1041.)

Mr. President, I do have a priority motion. Senator Coordsen would move to adjourn until Wednesday morning at 9:00 a.m., March 20.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Question before the body is, shall we adjourn? All in favor say aye. Those opposed say nay. We're adjourned.

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